

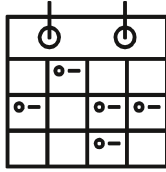


Tween Meeting News

Monday 04 April 2022

Next Meeting

24 May 2022



Coming Events

- Thu 19 May 9am-3pm, 'Moreton Bay History Seminar' @ Morayfield Sports and Events Centre
- Tue 14 June 9:30-10:30, Strathpine Library, 'Convicts In The Family?'
<https://www.moretonbay.qld.gov.au/libraries/Events/Convi>

Next Meeting

Our next meeting is Tuesday 24 May; the Library opens at 8:30am, our meeting starts at 9am.

We have another public event this week, with one of the Library staff speaking about Moreton Bay Library's "My Story" online local history collection. There's plenty to look at in there! That talk will start at 10am and is a public event, so we can expect to have additional attendees again. Perhaps, like last week, some of them will be attracted to join our group.

Because not everyone is at the 'experienced researcher' level, before morning tea there will be a short "how to" session as an introduction to leaping into the journey of tracing your family history.

At the risk of 'harping on', we still need some people to volunteer to be interviewed. Everyone has a story, so why not tell us yours? In preparation for the next phase, should it become necessary, I am sharpening my 'volunteer finder' pointer finger; there is nowhere to hide!

Items of Interest

If you have some time to explore

- 'Who Do You Think You Are?' magazine has further information about finding Second World War records (not just UK) including some interesting stuff about women's service. An interesting read even if you aren't looking for these types of records
<https://www.whodoyouthinkyouaremagazine.com/tutorials/military/second-world-war-army-records/>
- Don't forget that there are places other than the internet; eg libraries and archives. Having said that, here is a link to the State Library of Queensland (SLQ) website's page about Family History
<https://www.slq.qld.gov.au/research-collections/family-history>
- As you might expect these days, SLQ have a blog <https://www.slq.qld.gov.au/blog/tag/family-history?page=1> and here is another link to a nice story about Dawn and Helen, two ladies doing regular research there
<https://www.slq.qld.gov.au/blog/family-history-friendship-dawns-and-helens-story>

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- please wear your name tags; it will assist us in getting to know other members, especially now that we have some new members and visitors from outside the group
 - if you have previously had trouble hearing the speakers, you may wish to consider sitting closer to the front
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